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CULTIVATOR APPARATUS )Confirmation No.: 3212

RESPONSE TO OFFICIAL ACTION UNDER 37 CFR 1.111

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

The remarks and amendments are submitted in response to the Office Action mailed May 4, 2005.

The remarks are submitted within three months of the shortened period for response. No fees are due.

The application is now believed to be in condition for allowance and reconsideration in light of the following is respectfully requested.

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